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## CP's Will Present "Male Animal" Sunday, Monday

The spring production of the Columbians Players, the "Male Animal," will be presented Sunday and Monday, May 2 and 3, in the college theater. Last minute preparations of the settings and props are being completed. Rehearsals will be held throughout the week.

Appearing in the lead role will be Bob Gregoire portraying the character of Profesor Tommie Turner. Cast opposite Gregoire in the female lead is Mrs. Ruth Nelson. Jack Carlson will appear as Joe Ferguson, a former college football star. Jack Lagershausen will take the role of Mike Barns, a college intellectual, and Ed Hebda becomes Ed Keller, a successful business man.

### Others in the Cast

Terry Flynn, as a star football player, Buel Adams as a college dean, Gene Wuest, as a sports announcer, Paul Temple as a newspaper reporter, and Tony Good, as Nutsy Miller, compose the remainder of the male cast.

Others in the female cast are Louise Shide as the maid Cleota, Mary Longan as Myrtle Keller, Ruth Hunter as the dean's wife, and Beverly Sterrett as Pat Stanley, a coed.

The play revolves around a college instructor at a midwestern university who almost loses his job because of a misunderstanding concerning some Communist literature.

### Mr. O'Connell Directing

Mr. Lee J. O'Connell is directing the play assisted by Mrs. Nelson.

Production staff for the play includes Richard Kotheimer, set designer; Jim Thompson, make-up; Paul Temple, sound and music; Bob Gregoire and Bill Walker, lighting; Bill Walker, publicity; Dick Rezek and John White, hand props; Charles Veitzen, foyer decorations. Others working on the set construction are Ray Gregoire, George Stockleman, and Ed Stepan. Working on stage props are Frank DeSana and Russ Mitcham.

## Hackman, Jones Head Dean's List

Marvin Hackman of Jasper, Ind. and Robert Jones of Centerville, Iowa recorded 3.00 indexes for the third consecutive grading period. Others recording 3.00 indexes were George Kuhn of Detroit, Mich., and Bill Zimmer of Covington, Ky. A total of 36 students were named to the Dean's List which covers the period from April 5 to May 27.

Others named to the list were Vincent Agnew, Vermillion, Ohio; Joseph Barnett, Peru, Ind.; William Barrett, Chicago, Ill.; Walter Chlipala, Bellwood, Ill.; Lawrence Doherty, Ottawa, Ill.; Richard Doherty, Ottawa, Ill.; William Dunn, Logansport, Ind.; Eugene Eifrid, Ft. Wayne, Ind.; William Feely, Brookfield, Ill.; Richard Flynn, Chicago, Ill.

Michael Forrestal, Chicago, Ill.; Robert Fox, Peoria, Ill.; John Gass, Decatur, Ind.; Albert Greto, Crum Lynne, Penn.; John Griffin, Chicago, Ill.; Edwin Hebda, Chicago, Ill.; Ronald Keller, La Porte, Ind.; John Kintz, Van Wert, Ohio; Michael Madalon, Hammond, Ind.; Earl Maier, Ravenna, Ohio; Roy Meyer, Leipsic, Ohio; John Miller, Buffalo, New York; Elmer Molchan, Gary, Ind.; Francis Molson, Whiting, Ind.; Franklin Monnin, Houston, Ohio; Stephen Patun, Chicago, Ill.; Joseph Rodak, Cleveland, Ohio; George Smolar, Whiting, Ind.; Aloysius Stryck, Chicago, Ill.; Roger Uecker, Ft. Wayne, Ind.; John Vargo, Whiting, Ind.; James Wright, Fowler, Ind.

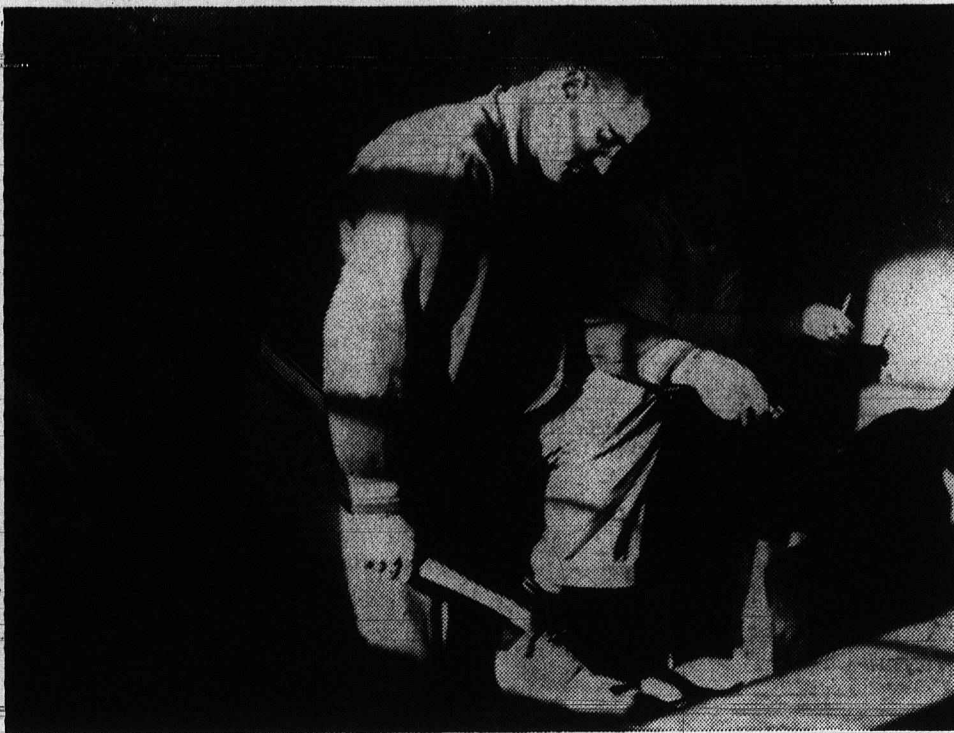


Photo by Keel

Hard at work on decorations for the Junior Prom are Bob LaFontaine and Bob Pitt. All decorations are scheduled to be assembled by May 2 for the annual Parents' Day ceremonies on the campus.

## Revels Open Festivities Of Jr. Prom Week-End

Friday, May 7, the festivities of the Junior Prom weekend will open with the long awaited Prom Revels sponsored by the Student Council. Campus tours and a double-header with the University of Chicago baseball team will be presented Saturday afternoon, and the "Penthouse Serenade" will round out the week end which has been in the planning stage for the past three months.

The Revels are scheduled to begin at approximately 9:00 p.m. on Friday evening. Attendance will be limited to 100 couples because of the limited accommodations of Raleigh Hall. Music for the Revels will be provided by Lloyd Williams and his combo. Refreshments will be served until 1:00 a.m.

### No Scheduled Events

Saturday, with the exception of the baseball games, will be free of scheduled activities until 9:00 p.m. when Ralph Marterie and his orchestra will be featured at the prom. There will be dancing until 1:00 a.m. A buffet luncheon will be served until 2:00 a.m.

According to decorations chairman John Good, the newly designed

"Silver Roof" is nearing completion, with the "Silhouette Room" needing only a few finishing touches.

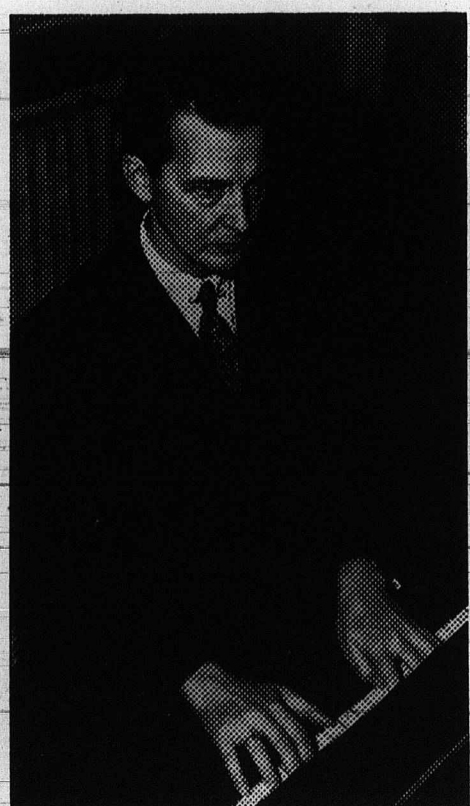
### Picture Window

In keeping with the penthouse theme, one wall of the dance floor will be decorated like a picture window overlooking a city at night, with the entire roof garden having this same effect. Soft lights playing on the silhouettes will give the city skyline a three dimensional effect. A flowing pond will be placed in the center of the roof floor where tables will be placed to accommodate the prom-goers. The dance floor itself, the "Silhouette Room," will display objects of modern art and will be appropriately done in black and white. Prom-goers will be greeted by a uniformed doorman who will conduct the couples into the field house, where they will be greeted by a receiving line. A maitre d' hotel will be on hand to take care of table accommodations.

Those planning to attend the prom are asked to pick up their prom bids and their Revels tickets at tables set up in the cafeteria for this purpose.

## Hungarian Pianist Here For Recital May 6

Mr. Bela Boszormenyi-Nagy, the foremost Hungarian pianist in the United States today, will appear at St. Joseph's College on Thursday, May 6, in the college auditorium. Mr. Nagy at the present time, is the resident pianist at Indiana University and has held this position since September of 1953.



Mr. Bela Boszormenyi-Nagy

Previous to accepting this position at Indiana, Mr. Nagy was a resident of Budapest, Hungary, where he held the title of professor of piano at the Royal Academy of Music "Franz Liszt," Budapest from 1937-48. He was a member of the board of directors of the academy from 1945-48. He also served as secretary of the International "Bela Bartok" Memorial Contest and as a member of the Jury of the International Musical Competition, Geneva, Switzerland, in 1948.

He was awarded the Liszt prize for music in 1935, 1936, and 1937.

Mr. Nagy has given solo recitals and radio broadcasts in several European cities such as Budapest, Vienna, Prague, Berlin, Hamburg, Geneva, Paris and Rome.

Upon leaving Europe in 1948 as a political refugee, Mr. Nagy fled to Canada where he soon became professor of piano at the Royal Conservatory of Music, University of Toronto, Ont. He served as choir director of the Loretto Abbey and Loretto College from 1950 until

## PROCESSION SET FOR PARENTS' DAY

By Buel Adams

A Parents' Day program highlighted by a Marian Year procession from the chapel to the grotto is in store for moms and dads of St. Joe students this coming Sunday.

The annual affair will present new attractions this year and some of the old familiar features will be

## Frosh Candidates Seek Sophomore Class Offices

By Chuck Veitzen

Yesterday, April 27, the class of '57 held their election of Sophomore officers for next year. Beginning at 11:30 a.m., the balloting progressed through the noon meal.

The large field of candidates was headed by the two aspirants for the office of president, Ed Arenz of Immaculate Conception High School Elmhurst, Ill., and Bill Bazil, Crete-Monee High School, Crete, Ill.

Those candidates for the office of vice-president were as follows: Vince Battaglia, Fenwick High School, Oak Park, Ill.; Jim Station, St. Ignatius High School, Chicago, Ill.; and Jack Stoll, St. George High School, Evanston, Ill.

## Bulletin

Bill Bazil was elected president of next year's sophomore class, defeating Ed Arenz by only 20 votes. Bazil polled 121 votes to 101 for Arenz.

Jim Station received the greatest number of votes in winning the election for the vice-president position; Station received 149 votes to 42 for Jack Stoll and 31 for Vince Battaglia.

Ed Stepan received 109 votes in winning the election for secretary. Bob Gasior and Ray Goberville trailed Stepan.

Frank Unger with 98 votes won the position of treasurer over Bill Bercik and Joe Dulin.

The position of class secretary was sought by the following: Bob Gasior, Bishop Noll High School, Hammond, Ind.; Ray Goberville, Mt. Carmel High School, Chicago, Ill., and Ed Stepan, St. George High School, Evanston, Ill.

The last group seeking office consisted of: Bill Bercik, Whiting High School, Whiting, Ind.; Joe Dulin, Mater Dei High School, Evansville, Ind.; and Frank Unger, St. George High School, Evanston, Ill. All of these were running for treasurer.

Only two of this entire group are, at present, class officers. They are Ed Arenz, the present treasurer, and Bob Gasior, the present secretary. Another, Vince Battaglia, previously failed in an attempt for election.

Candidates were required to file petitions by April 14 and on April 21 active campaigning began.

1953. At this time he was also president of the Canadian-Hungarian Federation, and was an instructor of the piano-masters classes in Banff School of Fine Arts, University of Alberta, during the summers of 1951, 1952, and 1953.

He has appeared with the Toronto Symphony Orchestra, the CBS Orchestra, the Chicago Symphony Orchestra, and the CBS String Orchestra.

He has also composed two Ave Marias, Tantum Ergo, Kyrie (Choir), and entertainment for piano and strings in three movements.

missing. Gone from the scene next Sunday will be the traditional band concert, Glee Club performance, and baseball game. Taking their place will be the procession and an intrasquad football game: the upperclass "old-timers" versus the freshmen hopefuls.

The day will begin with the usual Sunday Masses in the chapel. Registration for the day will take place from 10:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m. in the library; guided tours of the campus will emanate from the registration desk between these hours.

### First Event

The first event of the day's program will be the football fray, presenting Coach Jauron's "New Look" Pumas of 1954, at 1:30 p.m. on the gridiron. A Fathers and Sons' baseball game will then be held. At 3:30 the college's promotion movie will be shown in the auditorium, followed by an organ recital at 3:50. St. Joseph's president, the Very Rev. Raphael H. Gross, will address the parents in the chapel at 4:30. Benediction and the procession will follow; both may feature selections by the college Concert Chorus. The procession will carry an indulgence for those who make it under the prescribed conditions.

Concluding the day's revels will be the Columbian Players' presentation of "The Male Animal" in the College Theater at 7:15.

Throughout the day, the library will house three exhibits: one liturgical, one of the college publications, and a third sponsored by the Society of the Precious Blood. The Knue Memorial carillon will be busy in the chapel tower all day long, five separate concerts being scheduled with Mr. Paul Tonner at the keyboard.

### Science Day

A former aspect of Parents' Day, now an event of its own, was held last Sunday. This was the annual Science Day program, during which time exhibits in all fields of sciences at St. Joseph's were on display. Demonstrations in the various lines were part and parcel of the day's activities.

Two weeks from Sunday, May 16, St. Joseph's will host approximately 50 high-school students from this area on their annual retreat. The retreat has been cut this year from three days to one, because of the crowded room situation on campus. The day's schedule includes conferences, sermons, question periods, a procession to the grotto, and Benediction.

In the afternoon, the second evening Mass in St. Joseph's history will be celebrated for the retreatants in the chapel. The Mass will be said by the retreat director, Rev. Richard P. Baird. Retreatmaster will be Rev. Edwin G. Kaiser.

## Fr. Smolar In, Fr. Martin Out As Coordinator

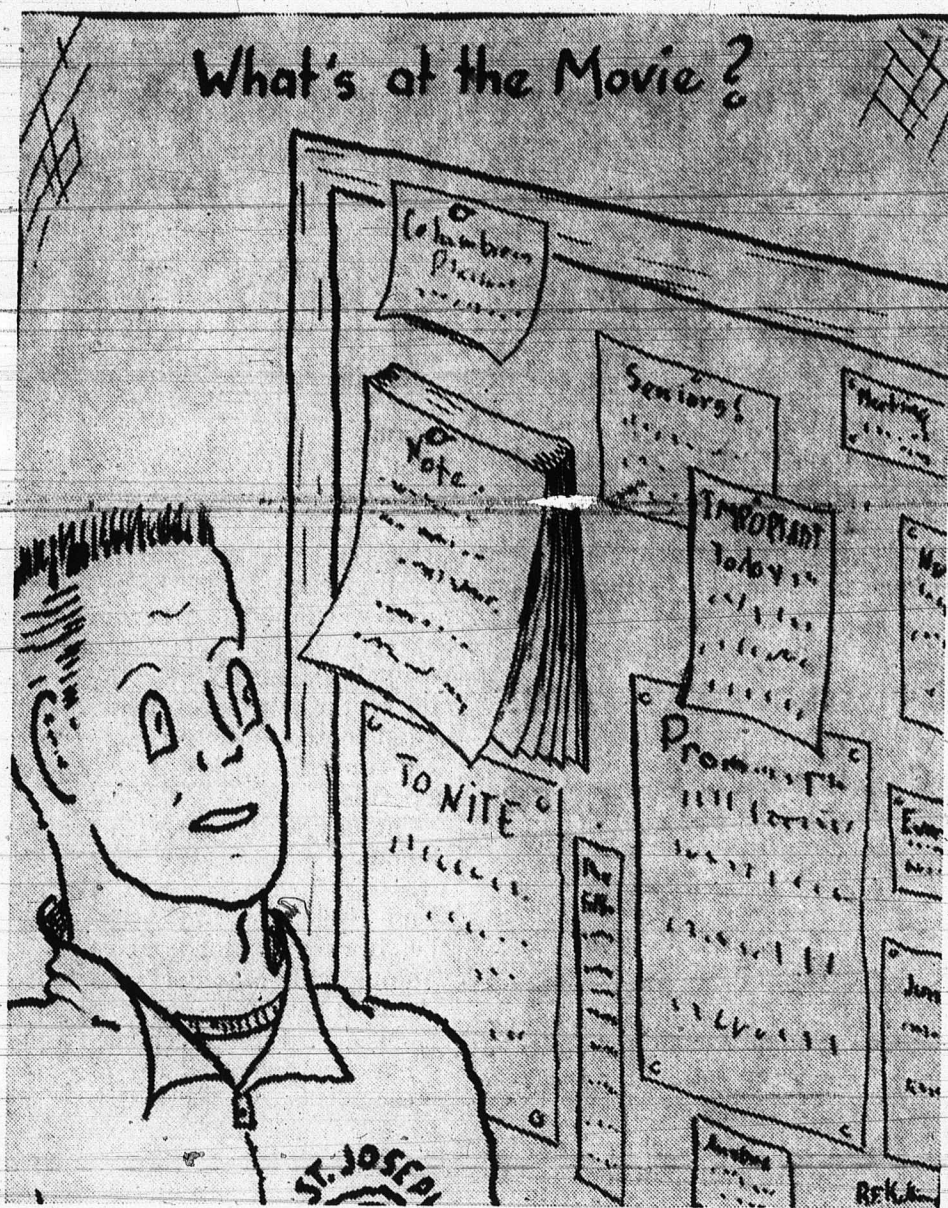
Rev. Joseph A. Smolar was appointed to the Office of Coordinator of Student Affairs according to an announcement from the president's office. Fr. Smolar will replace Rev. Henry J. Martin who asked to be relieved of the position. The appointment will be effective June 7, 1954.

In other appointments, Mr. Salvatore A. Pupo was put in charge of the Testing Bureau and of Student Guidance, also effective June 7.

Rev. Daniel E. Schaefer will be in charge of the social calendar and social activities for the coming year.

These appointments were made at a meeting of the Administrative Council on April 13. The appointments are to be effective for three years.





## Student Council Committees

The new Student Union constitution, recently presented to the students for approval, gave to many their first knowledge of the various student committees working in connection with, and under the guidance of, the Council. These committees, seven in number, were organized several years ago for the benefit of the Student Union.

The executive committee composed of the Council officers handles the agenda for all Council and Union meetings. The scholastic committee meets regularly with the Dean of the college on matters of curriculum. The athletic committee meets with the members of the faculty athletic committee to promote the sports program. Rules and regulations of the college are drawn up by the Dean of Men with the assistance of the disciplinary committee.

The work of the dance committee has been evident throughout the year in the campus mixers. The intra-club committee serves as co-ordinator of the many clubs on the campus, while the intra-hall committee has such powers as the president of the Council chooses to give it.

There are, of course, faculty committees corresponding to the student committees listed above. There is, however, no faculty representation on the student committees and no student representation on the faculty committees. Corresponding faculty and student committees meet at regular intervals.

The faculty of the college approves of all these committees and feels it can benefit from the ideas of the students. The faculty is not giving representation and then ignoring it. They recognize the necessity of being well-informed on the activities of the students and being well-informed on the affairs of the student body.

The committees themselves are recognized as good by the faculty and by the Council, but are they by the students?

## Holy Name Strives For Goals

This is the second in a series of articles by Thomas Shworles, president of St. Joseph's Holy Name Society.

The HNS on our campus will and it will not be successful in reaching the goods it has set. The primary objectives are obtainable; the secondary objectives will be reached with difficulty.

According to the HN manual, the principle objectives of the HNS are: "the honor and glory of our Triune God and the personal sanctification of its members by acts of love and devotion to the Most Holy Name of Jesus." This agrees with the primary purpose of our society as stated in the last issue of Stuff; the end is to stimulate further adoration of Christ by manly and reciprocal exchange of encouragement among the students. Practices basis to this primary end will be frequent reception of the Sacraments, a monthly corporate communion, public profession of faith through the wearing of the HN button, and the observance of the promises contained in the HN pledge. These primary objectives can and very probably will be reached in the following semesters.

It is the secondary objectives which makes one society differ from another and it is here that our officers presently make no deductions of success. To those of us who are familiar with societies that build schools, have fathers and sons' banquets, and sponsor parades, I suggest that you do not ex-

pect similar vitality from our beginning society. We do not promise that we will see all our secondary objects to their intended ends, for, in honesty, we do not have any well-defined secondary objectives. This will be a major concern of your officers during the next school year—to determine what basic spiritual activities the society can sponsor here on the campus. Undoubtedly, members of the faculty, student groups, and off-campus groups will come to us with suggestions or inquiries for help. Already submitted informally are suggestions that the society sponsor a retreat movement, assist in a purchase of a St. Joseph statue for the main driveway, print a religious bulletin, and plan a workable program of mutual assistance for those desiring to attend week-day Mass. These are only suggestions and have not yet reached the point of discussion.

Because our society does not have the advantage of the parish unit which has a general static membership, and because of the steady turnover in student enrollment, the always filled college activity calendar, and the vacation breaks, our society will meet many obstacles in the attempt to foster a continuous program of activities.

There will be no paths burned in glorious show this next school year. Only a slow, humble beginning will be attempted, and perhaps this will be the proper ingredient for a strong foundation that future years may build on.

## Speaker Needed

Finding a guest speaker is at present the biggest headache of NFCCS regional congress chairman Ken Ryan.

The congress, which is the annual convention of all local Catholic colleges and universities in the Federation, will be held at St. Joseph's on May 15 and 16. Ryan, as senior delegate of the host campus, becomes congress chairman.

The speaker problem is produced because of the doubtful status of the arrival of NFCCS National Director, Rt. Rev. Msgr. Joseph E. Schieder, director of the Youth Department of the National Catholic Welfare Conference.

Approached in March concerning attending the Fort Wayne congress, Msgr. Schieder was unable to give a definite answer because of prior engagements, but had expressed interest and a desire to attend. Since then, no further clarification has been received; should Msgr. Schieder be able to come, he would most probably be the congress' opening speaker. Because of this uncertainty, however, Ryan has approached other possibilities for the speaker's role. The theme of the congress is "A Re-Evaluation of the Fort Wayne Region."

## Prom Tips . . .

1) Dress appropriately but somewhat more discursively than usual for the activities on Friday evening. Suits will be the order for that night, however, sport coats are acceptable but ties are required.

2) Saturday afternoon, it would be good to wear slacks and sport shirts for the ball game. It is up to the girls, according to their wishes to dress comfortable, but fashionably. We recommend sweater and skirt combinations.

3) For the prom:

a. Tuxes, of course, either summer or winter, will be the accepted dress for Saturday evening. The girls will wear formal.

b. No flowers may be worn.

c. Drive cars right to special parking space near south door of the fieldhouse. There you will be met by a parking attendant who will park your car, but you may park it yourself if you desire. A doorman will be present, and a maitre d' hotel will take care of your table accommodations.

d. By all means use the ash trays provided for each table. DON'T throw cigarette ashes on the floor.

e. A sufficient number of waiters will be available. Allow them to handle any arrangements necessary for soft drinks, or other services.

f. Please do not bother the band for autograph's while performing.

4) The chaperones and guests of honor will be at the dance for the whole evening. It will be a mark of courtesy to introduce them to your date.

5) Etiquette demands that your date should have at least the first and last dances of the evening with you.

6) In case of fire, small though the likelihood be, don't run. WALK!

7) Enjoy yourself, it's your weekend!

## Aviation Team Here

A Naval Aviation Cadet procurement team was present on the campus today from 9:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m. to answer questions of those interested in the aviation field. Those interested were interviewed in the Library Conference room.

The men answered questions pertaining to the requirements, length of service, pay, and other benefits of the naval flight training program.

Applicants for the program must be citizens of the United States, between the ages of 18 and 27, have completed at least 60 semester hours or 90 quarter hours of college work and be able to pass various qualification tests.

# BILLSTUFF

By Bill Feely

It's Prom time at Collegeville. It's that auspicious occasion when wash pants are discarded in favor of glistening white Gingiss tuxedos, and the familiar 5 o'clock shadows get the axe. If you haven't purchased a bid as yet, you'd better check your assets and find \$10. Come on, cats, get hep. Attend the prom. Marterie's music is cool, cool, cool.

A Dartmouth student picked up PCJ on a bet recently. All he had to do was slip two goldfish into his highball glass and gulp them down.

A man standing at a bar suddenly put down his glass, blinked, and fell flat on his face. A friend looked down at him admiringly and said, "You know, that's what I like about Joe. He always knows when to stop."

Business Ad. students, playing the market, should appreciate this tale. A Yale University economics instructor who tried to teach investment procedures by example has flunked his own course on the stock market.

It began when instructor Robert E. Will decided to give his freshman class a practical demonstration on the workings of stock. Will passed on a tip that New Bristol Oils, Ltd., was on the way up and a "good investment." Within no time the freshmen had given Will money to invest in Canadian oil. Prof. Lloyd G. Reynolds, head of the economics department, censured the action as "rather imprudent." The Yale Daily News, student paper, reported the size of the transaction to be 16,000 shares, but Prof. Reynolds said only 1,600 shares were bought. Reynolds said Will has been ordered to reimburse his students for the venture. Since the stock has fallen slightly instead of rising, Will stands to lose five cents a share—plus brokerage fees—if he sells it immediately.

Congratulations to Joel Francoer, our new student council president.

Better start attending the various club meetings. It's election time once more.

Two fraternities at Washington State College—Tau Kappa Epsilon and Alpha Kappa Lambda—recently broke WSC tradition by pledging colored students. Each took into its ranks one colored pledge. Neither received repercussions from its national organization. I agree with the Daily Evergreen, WSC newspaper, which called the fraternities action "one courageous act to be congratulated without reservation."

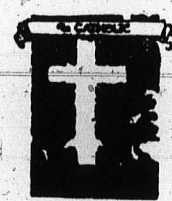
Speaking of fraternities, I've often wondered why St. Joe doesn't have some honor fraternities? If nothing else, the names would look good in the college catalogue. What happened to the boy scout venture?

Hitch-hikers! How would you like to hitch-hike around the globe? Timm Nolte, a 20 year old German student, is now in the process of doing just that. A year ago, he left Germany to see the world. On March 7, 1953, he left his home in Duesseldorf and, with no money in his pockets, toured Switzerland, the South of France and Italy. He then made his way to Greece, Turkey, Syria, and Iraq. From Iraq he worked his passage across the Persian Gulf to Pakistan. From there he went to India, and then to Japan. Next on his list are North and South America, South Africa and, finally, back home to Germany. Sore feet Timm ???

"Education is the result of what you do to the books, and not what the books do to you."—Dr. George Cutten.

What ever happened to the letter to the editor about NFCCS??? Odds'n Ends: A frosh asking Fr. Kostka if Ascension Thursday always comes on a Thursday . . . Jim Perkins running out of gas on the way back to Collegeville after Easter vacation . . . An enterprising soph has two parakeets in his room . . . John Good doing an outstanding job on prom decorations . . . Fred Zilch spending his Easter vacation in one of Purdue's boilers . . . Bro. Phil getting a cactus from Bob Michalski . . . Did you ever stop to think, that St. Joe would be a perfect spot to be if they started to drop hydrogen bombs . . . I wonder if our frosh know what a comprehensive exam is . . . He has alcoholic rheumatism—he gets stiff in every joint . . . In college he was voted the student with the hair most likely to recede . . . Dick Bugher, Steve Gass, Tom McNulty, John Dayspring, and Don Wisehaar, proud members of the Rebels, are the Western Division IM basketball champs, so says coach Bill McCloskey . . . Attend the prom; Ralph will be there, won't you???

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# Pumas Beat Sycamores - Extend Streak to 6

## Chicago Stopped Twice by SJ Nine

Dick Dwinell and Jim Hoess teamed up to give the Pumas their first twin win of the season over Chicago University on their home grounds.

Both teams scored two runs in the second inning. Don Normandt and Tom Weber reached base via infield errors. Bill Schulte then cracked a two bagger to drive in both runners. Starter Bill Fox got into trouble in the second as the first two men up connected on a single and double respectively. A one baser by the Chicago pitcher accounted for two runs.

### Kellogg Scores

Willie Kellogg alone accounted for the St. Joe run in the third as he singled, advanced to second on an error, stole third, and scored on another miscue. The Collegeville crew needed only two hits to score a pair of tallies in the fourth. Weber led off with a base knock, took second on a force out and crossed the plate on George Smolar's hit. "Smoky" stole second and third and tallied on an error.

Trailing 5-3 in the fourth, the host rallied for six runs on two hits, a pair of walks, and an error. When the dust had cleared, Dick Dwinell was on the hill for the Pumas.

### The Pumas Score Again

Dwinell, Smolar, and Kellogg opened the sixth by drawing free rides to load the bases. Ralph Meyer struck out but Bob Wasni and Garvey were passed to push in two runs; Don Normandt collected a pair of RBI's with a bases loaded single.

St. Joe got their final runs in the seventh inning when Dwinell opened with a walk, Smolar singled, and Kellogg drew a free pass to load the bases. Meyer's ground out accounted for two runs and Wasni bounced out to end the inning.

Chicago	8	6	2
St. Joe	11	7	2

It was another uphill fight as Coach Bean's crew overcame a four run deficit to whip Chicago 9-7 in the final game of the twin bill. "Smoky" Smolar started things off in the Pumas half of the first as he reached first on an infield error, stole second, advanced to third on a wild pitch, and stole home. Walks to Kellogg and Wasni and a duo of singles by Garvey and Don Normandt provided the three run outburst.

Dick Dwinell got in trouble in the first inning as he walked the Chicago center-fielder with the bases loaded. Dick then fanned the next two batters to end the threat.

### An Early Lead

Chicago U. jumped to a 5-1 lead in their half of the third with a four run uprising. The Windy City crew crossed the plate four times on only two hits, both singles. Three walks and an error pushed across the first tally.

The Pumas went scoreless in the fourth but Chicago added two more insurance runs. After a runless fifth, the crew from Collegeville picked up two more markers in the sixth. Maurie Garvey, hitless till this point, started things off with a line shot into left. Jack Phillips punched out a single in a pinch hitters role. Bill Schulte walked and Don Merki drove in two runners with a hit to right.

### A Rally in the Seventh

Skip Meyer touched off a seventh inning rally by cracking out a home run. Tom Weber, pinch hitting for Jim Hoess, singled, Garvey reached base on an error, Teddy Ashburner cracked out a one baser, Phillips grounder was bobbled and Don Merki smashed a hit to left field to give the Pumas a two run lead.

Ashburner relieved Hoess on the mound and retired Chicago in order.

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Chicago	104	200	0-7	6	2



Photo by Keel

St. Joe trackmen are shown in action in a fourway meet with Ball State, Franklin, and Taylor. Above: Marv Hackman leads the field in the high hurdles. Right: Ken Banks demonstrates his vaulting form.

## Ind. State Tops Trackmen

By Dick Obergfell

ICC foe Indiana State, scored a decisive victory over our young Puma squad in their first conference meet by a score of 90-30. Coach Virgil Robbins blames the defeat mainly on the date of the meet, the first day after Easter vacation. Mr. Robbins said, "Although the track team seemed to have been defeated rather severely by Indiana State, actually several of the boys did a commendable job—the vacation probably hurt the efforts of many of the boys on close decisions that they might have won if workouts had been regular. Kneip, Joyce, and DeWald looked good in the dashes. Dayspring, Jaeger, Stewart, Cheek, and Kuhn showed very well in other

events. Hackman was good in high hurdles, also adding a couple of points in the low hurdles and broad jumps. The team must get into better condition to win those decisions."

Sophomore sprinter Joe Kneip led the Puma runners by scoring ten points. Joe won the 100 yard dash and the 220. Marv Hackman placed second in the low hurdles, and third in the broad jump and high hurdles.

### The scoring for St. Joe's:

Event	Points
Mile	1
440	3
100	5-3
Pole Vault	1
High Hurdles	3

## Pumatters

By Dick Obergfell

"If we can win three of the first six games on the road we'll have a good year." These are the words of Coach Jim Beane at the beginning of the baseball season. Well, it looks as though the men around Collegeville are in for a very bright future. St. Joe is yet to play at home and they have a record of six wins and no defeats.

The Pumas are good this year, there's no doubt about it. But its not just two or three men that are carrying the team. Ralph Meyer and Bob Wasni are providing the long ball hitting. Maurie Garvey, Willie Kellogg, Don Merki, and Don Normandt have been coming through with timely and consistent base hits. George Smolar is holding up his reputation as villian on the base paths. "Smoky" just can't stop stealing bases. The fielding is greatly improved over last year. But the pitching is the real feather in Mr. Beane's cap. Of the six wins, Dick Dwinell and Ted Ashburner have gone the distance twice, Dwinell won in relief to give him three victories. Senior Jim Hoess came in to put out the fire in the Chicago game and pick up a win.

Another bright spot this year is the performance of the frosh. Tom Weber is adding support behind the plate, and his big bat is proving advantageous. Gene Eiferd can fill in the infield or outfield and Bob Fox and Joe Horney strengthen the mound staff.

There are some tough ones ahead but it looks as though the Pumas are in for a good year.

Coach Richard Scharf and Fr. Norman Heckman will be guests at a banquet in honor of Puma track coach Virgil Robbins. The banquet will honor Mr. Robbins on his retirement after 30 years of coaching at Kentland high school. Mr. Branch McCracken, basketball coach at Indiana University will be the principle speaker.

Coach Paul D. "Tony" Hinkle, head coach at Butler University for the past 25 years was recently named to the Helms Basketball Hall of Fame. Mr. Hinkle also serves as head football coach, baseball coach, and athletic director. Ed Diddle of Western Kentucky was also chosen.

A brief note to acknowledge an error made in the last issue of STUFF. Dick Philbin's name was omitted from the list of recently admitted members of the Monogram Club. Sorry Richard.

The IM basketball season was officially closed with the crowning of the winners in the Midwestern and Western Leagues. The Beef Trusters beat the Rockets in a playoff. The Beef Trusters roster includes: Bob Companic, Joe Gerba, Joe Horney, Joe Baldin, Tony Baldin, Norm Hudecki, Ray Schwenkel, Fred Swierkowski, and Ray Cerney, coach. The Rebels won the Western League.

Indiana basketball grabbed the nation's interest when Dick Rosenthal of Notre Dame and Willie Gardner of the Harlem Globetrotters were named the two most valuable players in the World Series of Basketball between the College All-Stars and the Trotters. Gardner played with Crispus Attacks of Indianapolis before joining the Globetrotters.



880	Jaeger (2nd)	Cheek (3rd)	3-1
220	Kneip (1st)	DeWald (3rd)	5-1
Two Mile	Kuhn (3rd)		1
Broad Jump	Hackman (3rd)		1
Low Hurdles	Hackman (3rd)		1
Shot Put	Bazil (3rd)		1
			30

The steadily improving cinder-men from Collegeville placed fourth in the Rose Poly relays held at Terre Haute. Earlham College accumulated 62 points to take top honors, Anderson and Hanover finished second and third respectively.

The Pumas captured the 440 shuttle relay in 47.5, only .5 seconds off the meet record. Joe Kneip, Tom Lampert, Ed DeWald, and Ed Joyce teamed up to give the Pumas the victory.

The St. Joe 880 relay team, finished second behind Earlham College.

In the individual honors, Joe Kneip won the 100 yard dash in 10.3 seconds with Ed Joyce third.

To round the Puma scoring the mile relay team, Joe Dulin, John Dayspring, Neil Stewart, and Carl Jaeger, finished third.

## Franklin, Depaw Downed in Early Diamond Tilts

A three run outburst in the first inning enabled the St. Joe Pumas to win their opening game against Franklin at Franklin. Dick Dwinell went the distance for his first win of the season. Dick gave up only one run and held the Grizzlies to four hits. The Collegeville nine got all their runs in the first inning on five hits and a walk.

Willie Killogg, "Skip" Meyer, Bob Wasni, Maurie Garvey, and Don Normandt cracked out consecutive singles for two runs, and a free pass to pitcher Dwinell forced in the final run. Franklin got their lone run in the sixth inning.

St. Joe's hard hitting first baseman, "Skip" Meyer, had three hits in four trips to the plate. Smoky Smolar, Kellogg, Wasni, and Garvey each collected two base knocks. St. Joe 300 000 0-3 11 1 Franklin 000 000 0-1 4 1

Ted Ashburner gave St. Joe their first win in ICC play by shutting out the DePauw Tigers in the first meeting of the two teams. Ashburner held DePauw to three hits while his teammates collected six safeties and two runs.

It was Ted's day all the way around as he led the Pumas at the plate with two hits.

St. Joe	000	000	200-2	6	1
DePauw	000	000	0-0	3	1

## Dwinell Credited With Fourth Win

The power-packed Pumas rolled to their sixth consecutive victory without defeat at Terre Haute last Saturday, decisively the Indiana State Sycamores, 9-2, in an ICC fray.

With Dick Dwinell going the route and turning in a six-hitter for his third win of the season, St. Joe had little trouble with State after the fourth.

In the fifth inning, with the Sycamores leading 2-0 and with Don Merki and Dwinell on base, Smoky Smolar drove one to center. The fielder tried for a shoe-string catch, missed, and, by the time he had recovered the ball, Smolar and the other two had scored to give the Pumas the lead.

In the sixth, successive singles by Bob Wasni, Don Normandt, Merki, and Dwinell tallied three more for St. Joe. An inning later, Normandt singled again to plate Skip Meyer, who had made first by a fielder's choice and had been advanced on a single by Maurie Garvey.

The Puma scoring wound up in the ninth. With one gone, Meyer rapped one to center. Wasni followed with a blast to deep center that scaled the fence of the Terre Haute Three-I League park on one bounce. The fence is more than 400 feet from the plate. It went as a ground-rule double, sending Meyer to third. Successive walks to Garvey and Bill Schulte forced in one, and Merki's fifth consecutive single of the day scored Wasni for the final margin.

Dwinell was in trouble only in the third and fourth innings. In the third, Wilbur singled for State. Nash doubled him to third, and Fortune's bingle scored the first State tally. Nash was thrown out trying to steal home. Lamdin walked to open State's fourth and scored on Kokinda's double to right. In the remaining five innings, the Sycamores reached Dwinell for only one hit, that a single in the ninth.

### Line score:

St. Joe	000	033	102-9	14	2
Ind. State	001	100	000-2	6	1

## St. Joe Golfers Trip Chicago U.

The St. Joe Pumas won their first golf match over Chicago University by the score of 91-51. Merle Effing and Tom Smeeton teamed up on the opening foursome for a total of 43 points, besting their opponents by four points. Steve Kubiatowski and Bob Koblesky topped the Chicago golfers 5-1. St. Joe's fifth man, Paul Layman shot an 87 but it wasn't good enough to score for the Pumas. Vogel of Chicago turned in an 85 to count for three points.

Merle Effing, the only upper-classman on the squad, was loy man for the day with 73 for 18 holes. Steve Kubiatowski's 78 for 18 was good for second honors.

### The scoring is as follows.

	Out	In	Pts.
1. Effing	37	36	73 3
1. Bison	38	41	79 0
2. Smeeton	40	41	81 1½
2. Kelsco	38	42	80 1½
3. Kubiatowski	38	40	78 3
3. Mertz	45	44	89 0
4. Koblesky	39	44	83 2
4. Philipson	45	39	84 1
5. Vogel	42	43	85 3
5. Layman	43	44	87 0



# CP's Boast Illustrious History

By Vince Agnew

Just 400 years after Columbus' discovery of America, a group of students at a newly-established college in Indiana organized a dramatic and literary society. It was not unusual in that year of 1892 for a new enterprise to be named for our country's famous discoverer—and at St. Joseph's it was the "Columbian Literary Society."

Probably one of the campus organizations most familiar to old-timers of St. Joseph's, the Columbian Players (as they've been called for many years) have offered many fine productions for the enjoyment of the general public, from "The Wanderer," its first in the spring of 1893, to "The Home of the Brave," its latest in the fall of 1953.

## Early Success

The society seems to have been successful from its earliest days. "King Saul," a production of the year 1903-04, was so well received that it went on the road, popularly acclaimed in reviews at both Lafayette and Indianapolis. In 1906, "Thomas a Becket" was praised by

the Rensselaer Republican as "the finest theatrical performance ever seen here."

Although producing several plays which were "almost marvelous," in the words of the society's early historian, there were dramatic endeavors which apparently left something to be desired. The historian remarks that "the audience left the hall quite satisfied that bedtime was near" after the production of "The Great Umbrella Case" in 1913.

## Early Hardships

Undaunted by temporary reversals, the society marched on through the years, literally through fire, flood and pestilence. One year's productions were called off after the college auditorium was destroyed by fire, and another production was cancelled because of a threatened smallpox epidemic. Torrents of rain and sleet have accounted for many an empty house when curtain time came.

Most prominent among the many directors and moderators of the organization was the widely-respected Fr. Ildephonse Rapp, more

recently famous for his watertower-climbing. Fr. Rapp became moderator for the Columbians in 1906, and held this position almost constantly for more than thirty years.

## Other Endeavors

Besides the society's dramatic accomplishments, it is credited with other worthy endeavors. The members founded the St. Joseph's library, which has grown from a shelf of 120 books in 1893, to more than 90,000 publications at present. They instituted "The Collegian," first campus publication. From the proceeds of their early productions they contributed generously for the Milrow monument in Rensselaer, as a token of appreciation for the patronage so necessary for the society's continued success.

Now in their 62nd year, the Players are busy preparing their spring production, "The Male Animal," for presentation on May 2 and 3, hoping that their audiences will find it as enjoyable as the many thousands of Jasper Countians and students have found the past C. P. endeavors.

# Student Council Considers Public Address System

Possibilities of installing a public address system in Raleigh Hall were discussed at the April 22 meeting of the Student Council. The system would include an amplifier, a microphone, and three loudspeakers placed at strategic points throughout the hall.

In a meeting with Rev. Joseph A. Otte, treasurer of the college, it was learned that this project would cost the Council approximately \$660. The Council also appropriated \$25 to purchase new playing cards for the recreation hall.

At the meeting it was also decided that the Council would donate trophies for the Most Valuable players in the intramural softball tournaments. There will also be St. Joseph's intramural letters to be awarded to members of the winning team. And the athletic banquet was set for the evening of Tuesday, May 11.

The possibility of having student dance instructions was also discussed by the Council. In conjunction with the dance instructions, there would also be a few instructive lectures on current dress fashions.

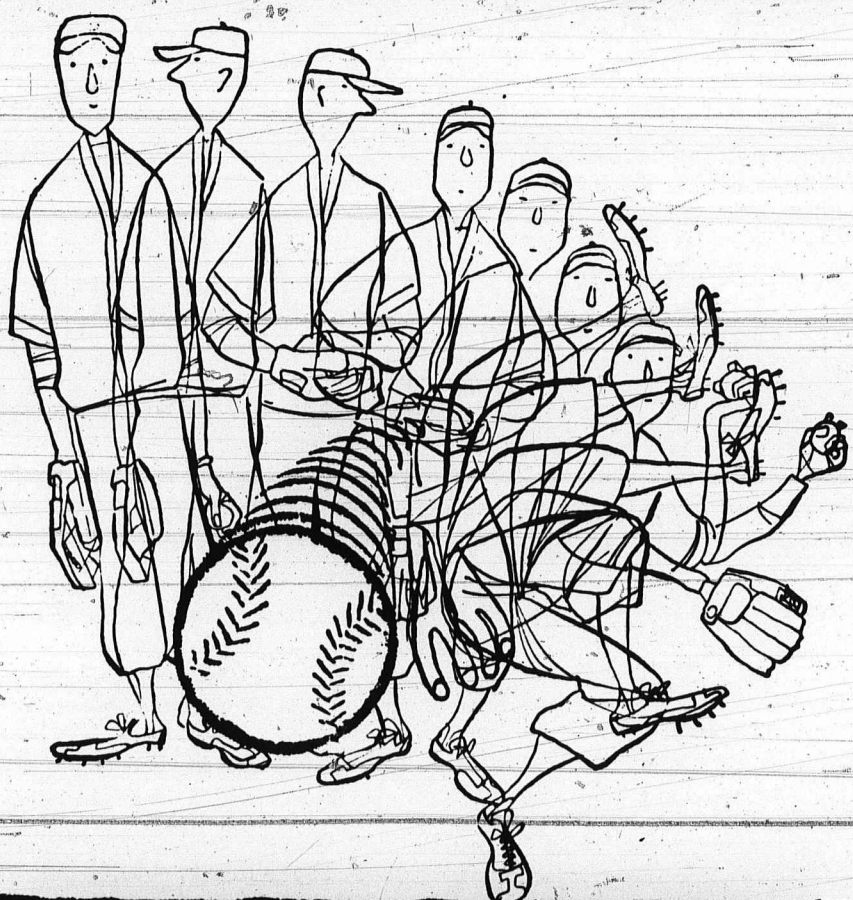
The Council is investigating the possibility of having a Puma Suit for one of next year's cheerleaders. It was also learned by the Council that two new teachers will be added to the faculty next year. The instructors will join the Business Administration and Economics Department.

After a lengthy discussion, open to the entire student body, the Council appropriated \$100 to the National Federation of Catholic College Students for expenses to be encountered in their National Convention to be held in Chicago this summer.



Photo by Keel

Any visitor to the Collegeville fieldhouse during the past week would have seen this unfamiliar sight. The four young ladies above are a few of the professional skaters that have been practicing here in preparation for their performance at a carnival in Reynolds, Ind.



## Glee Club Faces Heavy Schedule

St. Joseph's Glee Club, following its successful Easter concert, has again plunged into its heavy schedule of concerts and tours of the surrounding areas.

On April 25, the group traveled to Joliet for the annual spring concert with St. Francis College, held in Joliet.

The club's next trip will be April 29, when it will sing at Roosevelt High School, East Chicago, Ind. Later the same evening, the group will be guests of St. Joseph's alumni of Lake County at St. John's Parish school in Whiting, Ind. The club will also appear at St. Leo High School, Chicago.

May 2 will feature a concert as part of the special Parent's Day program, which will also feature a talk by Very Rev. Raphael H. Gross, president of St. Joseph's.

The club will also appear at a St. Joseph's Day banquet, which will honor the golden jubilee of ordination to the Precious Blood priesthood of Rev. Ildephonse Rapp, and in the evening at a chicken dinner given by St. Joseph's Parish, Pulaski, Ind.

May 16, the musical aggregation from St. Joseph's and the extension will join the girls from St. Francis College of Joliet in the annual Spring Festival here at St. Joseph's.

## Buziak Heads Servers

Chester Buziak, sophomore, of South Bend, Ind., has been elected president of the Don Bosco Club at a recent meeting held April 6. Buziak succeeds Joe Barnett who held the position during the current school year.

Other officers elected were Dick Obergfell, Indianapolis, Vice-President; and Bob Duncan, Salina, Kansas, secretary. Rev. Norman G. Schmoeck is moderator of the club.

## Stuff Receives Award

STUFF recently received the highest possible rating in its class, that of All-American, for the first semester of the current school year. This was based on the honor system rating of the Associated Collegiate Press at the University of Minnesota.

The many collegiate publications belonging to the association are divided into classes corresponding to the number of publication dates of each paper and the enrollment of the various schools.

STUFF was one of the two bi-weekly papers of colleges between 1000 and 500 students receiving the All-American award.

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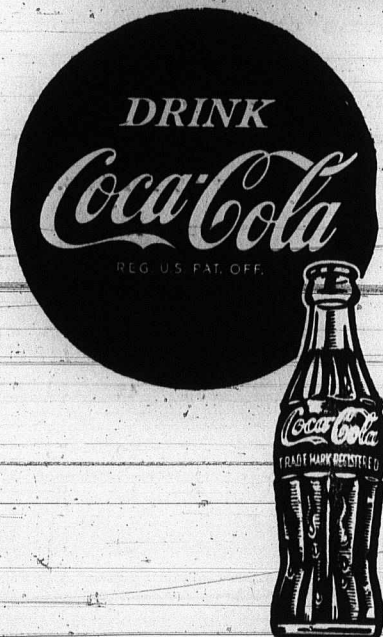
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